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Letter dated 7 May 2001 from the Permanent Representative of Spain to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

The Permanent Mission of Spain has received the final report of the Monitoring Mechanism on Sanctions with regard to Angola, of 18 April 2001 (S/2001/363). Section II A of the document refers to "KAS Engineering, Gibraltar", implying that Gibraltar is a country.

In this regard, my delegation wishes to clarify that Gibraltar is a non-self-governing territory that is administered by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and subject to the process of decolonization and over which Spain maintains a claim of sovereignty.

I should be grateful if this letter were brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council and distributed as a document of the Council.

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